IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

ORDER APPOINTING A MERIT REVIEW PANEL TO APPOINT TWO FULL-TIME UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGES IN THE BROWNSVILLE DIVISION OF THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

Entered January 15,1992 ORDER NO. 92-3

In order to expedite the appointment of two positions of full-time United States Magistrate Judges in the Brownsville Division, the Court hereby appoints a Merit Review Panel required by law under the supervision of the Judicial Conference Committee on the Administration of the Federal Magistrates System.

The Merit Review Panel shall consist of the following persons:

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The Clerk has made a public announcement that the two full-time Brownsville positions exist, and the Chief Judge has notified the Chairman that the panel's assistance is needed to select the nominees to fill the positions. The Merit Selection Panel shall commence the selection process on or January 15, 1992 and shall submit to this court the names of applicants in the order that it considers them best qualified to serve as United States Magistrate Judges in the Brownsville Division of the Southern District of Texas. recommendations shall be filed no later than 90 days from the date of this Order. The Merit Selection Panel shall be guided by the standards set out in pamphlet prepared by the Magistrate Judges' Division of the Administrative Office of the United States Courts, which is to be made available by the Clerk to each member of the panel.

ENTERED at Houston, Texas, on this 15th day of January, 1992.

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Honorable James DeAnda Chief Judge United States District Court